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064361.0126 Attorney Docket No. DESLAURIERS, et al. First Inventor METHODS OF PERFORMING... Title EV339229092US Express Mail Label No.

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1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal			
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1402	330	2402		Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing			
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				over original patent	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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